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A NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT CONTAINING A NUCLEIC ACID DERIVED FROM THE GENOME OF HEPATITIS C VIRUS (HCV) OF GENOTYPE 2a, AND A CELL HAVING SUCH NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed November 3, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Reply includes:

- -Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
- -Amendments to the Sequence Listing begin on page 3 of this paper.
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- -An **Appendix** including the paper and CRF disk copy of the Sequence Listing is attached following page 5 of this paper.